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Application of: Morrison

Group Art Unit: 2162

Serial No. 09/217,542

Examiner: D. Lastra

Filed: December 21, 1998

For: Method and Apparatus for Determining if a User Walks Away from a Self-Service Checkout Terminal During Operation Thereof

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

In connection with the Office Action dated April 20, 2001 in the above-entitled application, the Applicant respectfully requests a two (2) month extension in which to file a response, from July 20, 2001 to September 20, 2001.

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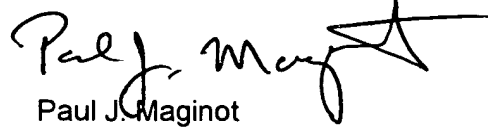
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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul J. Maginot", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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